

# Typhoon (TY) 34W (Soulik\*)

First Poor : 0030Z 28 Dec 00

First Fair : 0600Z 28 Dec 00

First TCFA : 1930Z 28 Dec 00

First Warning : 0000Z 29 Dec 00

Last Warning : 0000Z 05 Jan 01

Max Intensity : 110 kts, Gusts to 135 kts

Landfall : None

Total Warnings : 29

Remarks:

- (1) Rapidly intensified from 45 knots to 115 knots in 18 hours
- (2) Rapidly weakened from a peak 115 knots to 55 knots in 18 hours
- (3) Interacted with baroclinic zone near 0000Z 03 Jan 01. After reaching the baroclinic zone, turned anti-cyclonically and dissipated.

\* Name assigned by RSMC Tokyo

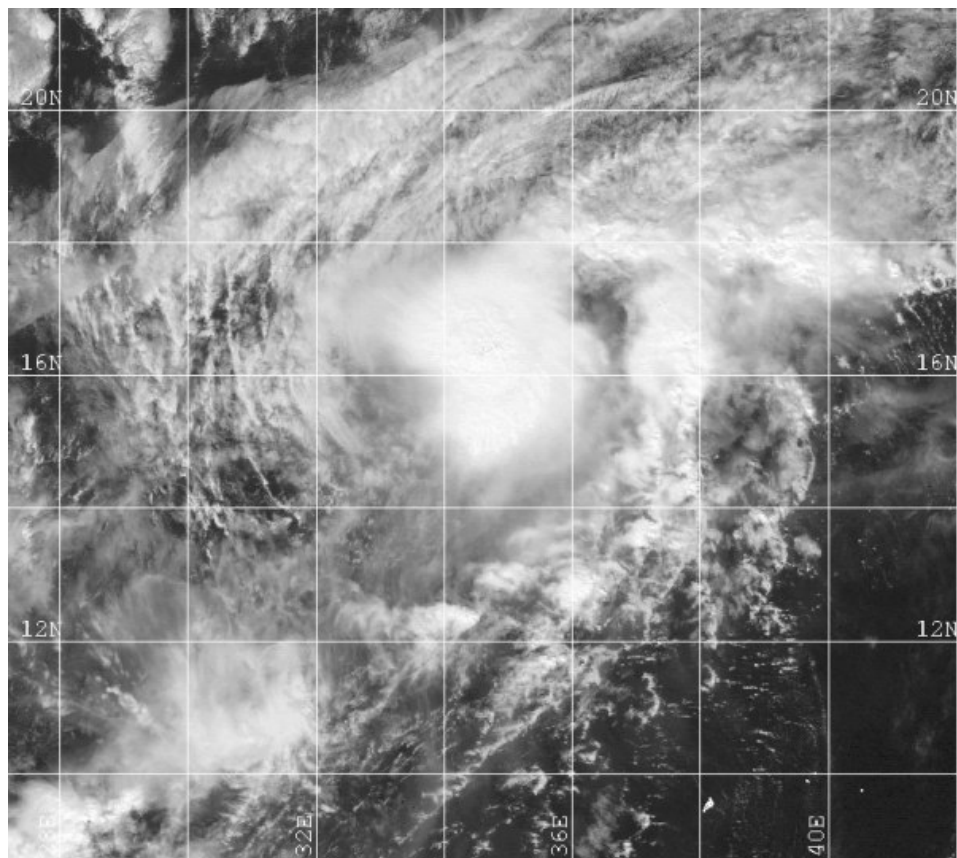


Figure 1-34W-1. 020331Z January 2001 GMS-5 visible image of TY 34W, located about 600 nm west-northwest of Agana, Guam.

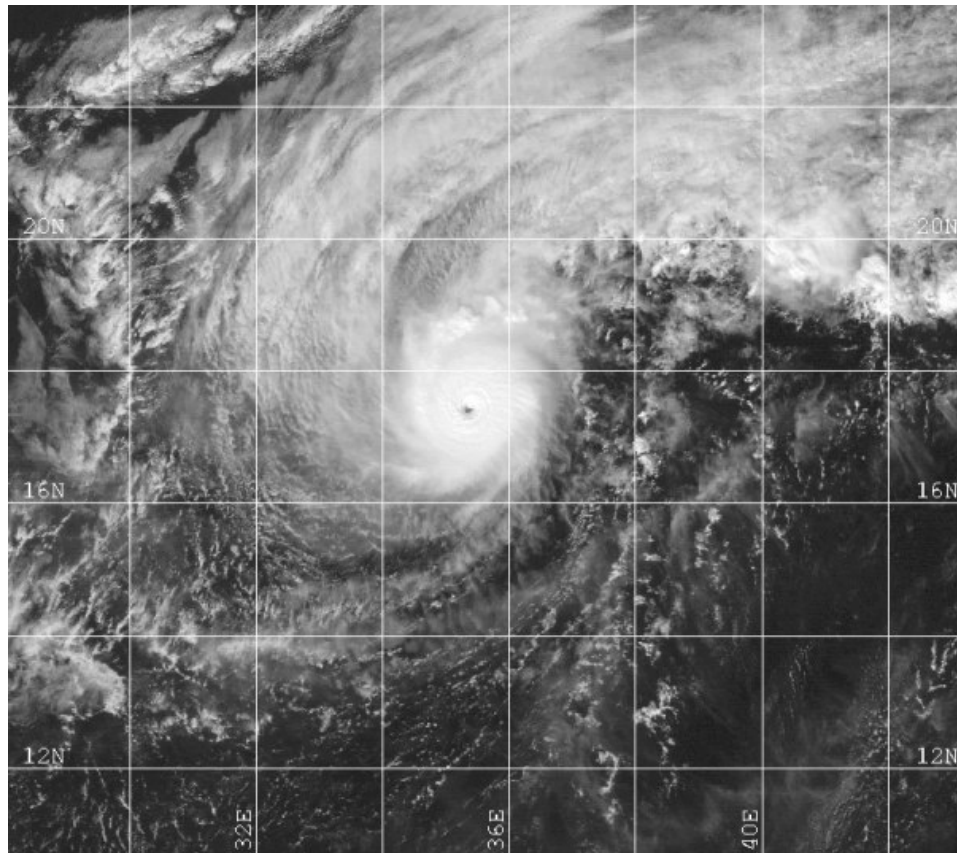


Figure 1-34W-2. 030401Z January 2001 GMS-5 visible image of TY 34W, located about 570 nm south of Iwo Jima. At this time, a tiny well-defined eye embedded in a central dense overcast is visible.

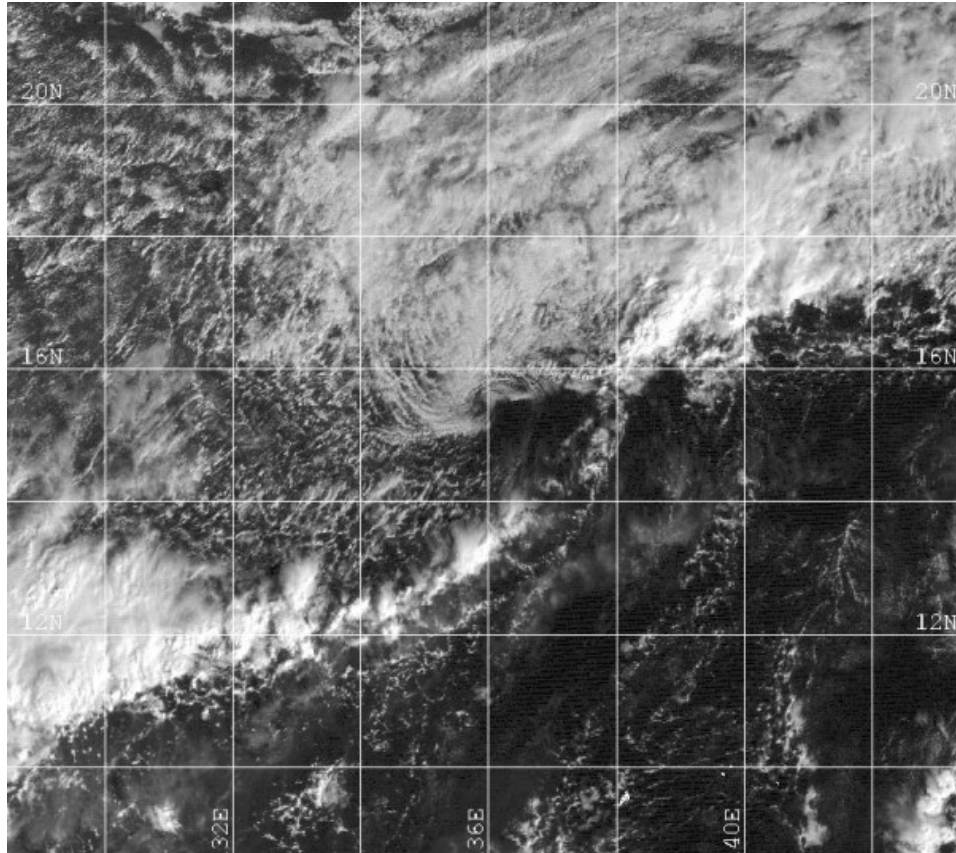


Figure 1-34W-3. 042331Z January 2001 GMS-5 visible image of TY 34W. The completely exposed low-level circulation is located in the Philippine Sea, with strong vertical shear evident in the imagery.

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